

# PLOT THICKENS IN MILWAUKEE

Former Cream City Alderman Makes Startling Disclosures To Grand Jury.

## REFORMERS ARE IN GREAT PERIL

In Anxiety To Make Pfister The Scape Goat They Forgot Their Own Misdeeds--Reformers Used Bribes.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 21.—Gradually the evidence which former Alderman William Murphy gave to the grand jury on Tuesday is becoming known, and as the facts come to light the sensation which has been caused by his confession grows in dimensions.

The most startling development yesterday was the disclosure that Murphy had testified that Assistant District Attorney Henry F. Cochems had offered him immunity in all the indictments that are pending against Murphy if the latter would furnish the grand jury with evidence against Charles F. Pfister.

Still more sensational was the declaration that the former alderman had testified that through his attorney, John M. Clarke, he had been offered \$7,000 by a prominent La Follette politician if he would testify against Mr. Pfister.

### DISCLOSURES CAUSE STIR IN CITY HALL

These facts became known about the city hall and caused a still greater stir than the day before, when it became public that Murphy in his confession had implicated two alleged "reformers" whom he charges with having bribed him for his vote for the Wells tunnel franchise and a side-track privilege for a large South Side manufacturing concern.

Acting on the testimony of the former alderman, the grand jury has begun an investigation of the tunnel grants and side privileges, as well as the offers which Mr. Cochems is said to have made to Murphy, and the money which is said to have been offered by a politician to Murphy's attorney if Murphy would testify against Mr. Pfister.

During yesterday afternoon at least two witnesses were examined in connection with the Murphy case, his attorney, Mr. Clarke, and Fred C. Lorenz, chairman of the republican county committee. Mr. Clarke is said to have corroborated the statement of Murphy that an offer of \$7,000 had been made for testimony against Mr. Pfister.

### REFORMERS IN PERIL OF INDICTMENT

The grand jurors and the district attorney's force are considerably disturbed in view of the facts that are coming to light. It is freely predicted that in view of the evidence before the jury it can do nothing but indict the two reformers against whom evidence has been furnished, because of the precedent established by the jury in numerous previous cases.

Those who profess to know say the district attorney is in panic over the evidence affecting the two reformers, who are his political friends. On the other hand, the jurors are greatly displeased over the peculiar light in which they have been placed. They disclaim any connection with the transaction of Cochems in offering immunity to Murphy for evidence against Mr. Pfister.

It was rumored yesterday that in the future the jurors propose to conduct the investigation more along their own lines and not rely quite so much on the district attorney's office.

## NAVY YARD WORKMEN ARE DISSATISFIED

Appeal for Change of Policy in Department Will Be Made to President Roosevelt.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Washington, Sept. 21.—In all probability, it was stated today, when President Roosevelt returns from his vacation, he will be appealed to make some change in the new policy of the navy department, which affects many employees of the Navy Yards here and in other parts of the country respecting promotion where the increases of salary have heretofore been paid out of the lump appropriation for increase of the navy. It has been decided that hereafter expenditures on this account shall not be increased, and consequently, if employees are to be promoted, that can be affected only by a readjustment of the salaries, which would involve corresponding reductions in the case of employees whose records for efficiency are not the best. In other words, the best employees are to be promoted at the expense of the less efficient. Naval draughtsmen are particularly affected by this policy, which has aroused quite a great deal of dissatisfaction in many quarters.

## NEW YORK LIFE HAS STILL MORE TO SAY

President McCall Makes His Statement About Parker Much Stronger.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, Sept. 21.—Perkins was recalled to the stand in the insurance investigation this morning. John F. McCullagh, a typewriter of the Albany office, and Andrew Hamilton testified preceding Perkins. McCullagh appeared to know little about the large checks, but said they had been handled by Hamilton for the New York Life. President McCall this morning said he did not mean that Parker personally appeared soliciting contributions. He reiterated his statement that the campaign managers did and said Parker several years ago, as chairman of a committee, accepted a proffered contribution. Perkins testified at length as to the "joint account" transactions.

## NATIONAL FESTIVITIES ON FORTY SEVENTH BIRTHDAY OF KING KHOUALONKORN

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Bangkok, September 21.—National festivities began here today in honor of the forty-seventh birthday of King Khounalounker, King of Siam. All the officers of the ministry and foreign representatives called to pay their respects and extend congratulations.

Buy it in Janesville.



Uncle Sam—"Chase him out of the country, Mr. Frost—chase him out!"

## NEW PRESIDENT FOR BIG STEEL CONCERN

Alfred J. Major is Succeeded as Head of Corporation by August Ziesing.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, Sept. 21.—At the annual meeting of the directors of the American Bridge company here today, the resignation of President Alfred J. Major, who is one of the most prominent figures in the United States Steel Corporation, was accepted, and August Ziesing, now Eastern manager of the concern, elected in his place. No end of talk has been created in iron and steel circles over the seconded by H. H. Palmer's speech during Mr. Major. The reason for his action is poor health, but there have been rumors to the effect that his attitude on the strike of the ironworkers has had something to do with his retirement.

## ITALIANS PRESENT PLAY IN NEW YORK

Proceeds Will Be Donated to Earthquake Victims in Europe's Sunny Vineyard.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, Sept. 21.—The first of two classic Italian dramatic performances for the benefit of the earthquake victims in Italy will be presented here tonight under the auspices of the *Italo-Americano*, an Italian newspaper. It is expected that the fund already started will be increased to \$10,000, which means more than \$50,000 lire in Italian money. All the prominent Italian residents of the city, with attaches of the legation at Washington have paid record prices for seats in Webster Hall, the scene of the performance.

## W. C. ALBERS IS FOUND GUILTY

Nicaraguan Court Convicts American Who Resisted Arrest.

Washington, Sept. 21.—Advices received from Nicaragua say that W. C. Albers, an American citizen on trial there charged with resisting arrest and insulting the president of that republic, had been convicted. A warship had been dispatched to Nicaragua to insure Albers fair treatment. Officials of the Department of State are inclined to the belief that Albers has construed his rights unfortunately and that he was indiscreet in resisting the Nicaraguan authorities. While it is believed he demanded too great a degree of immunity under the folds of the American flag, an investigation of the case will be made.

## A Collision

Emporia, Kas., Sept. 21.—Joseph Gleason, a railroad employee, was killed in a collision at Moody, Kansas, this morning between M. K. & T. and Missouri Pacific trains.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

The Cherokee national council is holding its final session. An informal vote taken by the council unanimously favored separate statehood for Indian territory.

Iowa college starts the fall term with the largest attendance of students in its history of more than a half century. President Bradley's position has not been filled.

## LATE TELEGRAMS

Printer Who Was Recently Removed from Government by President is in Chicago.

Cadets Sick

Annapolis, Sept. 21.—Ten cases of diphtheria among the cadets at the academy here are reported.

Dewey Is Back

Washington, Sept. 21.—Dewey is back from his vacation to Hot Springs, Va. He is planning the fall maneuvers of the north Atlantic squadron, which he will attend in person.

Insane Man's Act

Madison, Ind., Sept. 21.—George Ford, a farmer, ignited his house near Vervay this morning and burned his wife and three children to death. He was arrested and is apparently insane.

Signs Treaty

Madrid, Sept. 21.—King Alfonso today signed a treaty of general arbitration between Spain and Belgium.

Armistice Is Ready

Vladivostok, Sept. 21.—The naval armistice is now arranged. The commanders have designated the neutrals zones and the question of contraband.

To Raise Flagship

Tokio, Sept. 21.—Admiral Araki, who raised the cruiser *Varing*, has been ordered to Sasebo to raise the Mikasa.

More Fever

New Orleans, Sept. 21.—At noon fifteen new cases and one death from yellow fever were reported.

Bryan Starts

Lincoln, Sept. 21.—Bryan left this afternoon on a tour of the world to last two years. He declined the offer of the Union Pacific of a car to San Francisco and bought a ticket for himself, wife and two children in an ordinary Pullman.

Western Church's Jubilee

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 21.—A distinguished gathering of clergy from the northwestern states are here attending the golden jubilee of St. Joseph's German-Catholic Church. Today is the memorable day of the jubilee and distinguished bishops and priests will participate in the ceremonies, to be concluded tonight with a banquet.

Brotherhood of St. Andrew

Chicago, September 21.—The annual conference of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, the men's organization of the Protestant Episcopal Church, opened here today, the sessions being held in Mandel hall, of the university of Chicago. More than 1,000 members from all parts of the United States, Canada and England, representing a membership exceeding 15,000 are in attendance. A feature of the conference will be the pilgrimage to St. James' church, the birthplace of the brotherhood.

Open Golf Tournament

Hamilton, Mass., Sept. 21.—Professional golf players of note, as well as players of less prominence from all parts of the country are here to participate in the open tournament of the United States Golf Association which began here today over the links of the Myopia Hunt Club. The conditions are that each professional shall have an amateur for a partner and play a four ball foursome in the morning, the best ball to count, and a foursome in the afternoon, each pair playing one ball. The winning score shall be the total medal play of the best ball in the morning at 18 holes, added to the foursome medal play total in the afternoon, also 18 holes medal play.

Allows Women to Vote

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 21.—The Allegheny presbytery of the United Presbyterian church adopted a resolution authorizing them to vote on all subjects. Heretofore women have been barred from even attendance.

Aged Actress Is Stricken

Rhinebeck, N. Y.—Mrs. Charles Walcott, one of the oldest women on the American stage, was stricken with paralysis at her home near here. She is 70 years old.

## WILL CONGRESSMEN FIND PALMER A JOB?

Printer Who Was Recently Removed from Government by President is in Chicago.

Chicago, Sept. 21.—Frank W. Palmer, the public printer who was summarily removed by President Roosevelt after the investigation of the Department of Printing by the Keep Commission, has arrived here and will make his future residence in Chicago, which is his old home. It has been announced by some of his friends that certain of the congressional members owning stock in the type-setting machine concern, which figured in the investigation, will see that he gets employment, although there is no official information of this fact. Indeed Washington reports state that there is no little uneasiness manifested by some of these members over the irresponsible rumor that further investigation regarding the government printing matter is to be made.

Divorcees Must Wait A Year

Remarriage Sooner Is Illegal, Says Wisconsin Court.

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 21.—That a marriage outside the state of Wisconsin within a year after the entry of a decree is void in Wisconsin unless a special dispensation has been granted in accordance with the Wisconsin statutes is the decision of Judge Williams. This opinion was rendered in the divorce suit brought by Helena Pieprzyk against Wawrzyniec Pieprzyk. The decision is interesting in view of the fact that a number of people well known in Wisconsin have been married within a year after they were divorced.

Little Boy Cremates Sister

Waukesha, Wis., Sept. 21.—Joseph Cramb, 7 years old, a condemned firebug, burned his infant sister to death in her cradle while left to care for her. His mother saved the home and rescued the boy. The father is in jail for making threats to kill.

Car Men Select Chicago

Buffalo.—The Brotherhood of Railroad Car Men of America in convention selected Chicago for the next convention in 1907 after a hot fight.

Find Gold in Ohio

Steubenville, Ohio, Sept. 21.—Gold has been found in such paying quantities on the J. A. Mansfield farm near Cadiz Junction, after many finds in small quantities, that guards were stationed around the shaft from all sides.

Elect Officers

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 21.—The American Pomological society elected officers today. L. A. Goodman of the society is president; T. V. Munson of Denison, Texas, vice president; John Craig of Ithaca, N. Y., secretary; and L. P. Taft of Ann Arbor, Mich., treasurer.

AMERICA REPRESENTED  
IN INTERNATIONAL ART  
CONGRESS AT VENICE

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Venice, Italy, Sept. 21.—The International Art Congress, growing out of the international art exhibition opened here today and will continue one week. The congress is divided into four sections to consider international exhibitions, artistic tuition, public art and preservation of art subjects. The United States, Britain, France, Austria, Germany and Italy are represented.

# PRESIDENT TO RETURN MONEY

Wants National Committee To Replace Funds Given By The Insurance Men.

## CALLS HIS FRIENDS TO OYSTER BAY

Root, Cortelyou, Lodge And Choate Held A Long Conference With The President On The Matter Yesterday.

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPPS-MCNAMEE.]

and last into the morning. It is known that the president will ask Congress to frame a law after the English model, requiring the chairman of political committees to publish not only the amounts expended but the names of the contributors and the amounts given.

But if his advisers approve it is believed he will go a step further and pay back to the treasures of life insurance companies all money contributed by them to the last campaign. It is known that Mr. Cortelyou has a considerable balance on hand, and it is thought it will not be difficult to make up the difference, should there be one.

### Would Erase Scandal.

President Roosevelt thinks nothing but radical measures can erase a scandal which he feels more keenly than any that has come to his administration. He urged this view upon his visitors, moreover, as a wise party measure that may forestall future disaster. It is felt that some important administration move is sure to follow the conference.

If the president has his way to put an end to the use of illegal money in elections is not only to take it, but to pay it back when the facts are disclosed, as in the present instance.

### Summons His Advisers.

To this end he summoned George B. Cortelyou, the chairman of the Republican campaign committee; Secretary Root, who knows intimately the machinery of the big insurance companies; Senator Lodge, his personal representative in the assembly, and Joseph H. Choate, upon whose legal judgment he relies implicitly. The conference may be said to be secret.

The conference began after dinner

## GETS BALLOON RIDE WHEN ROPE BREAKS

Lad Succeeds in Opening Valve to Gas Bag, and Lands Thirty-five Miles Distant.

Binghamton, N. Y., Sept. 21.—Floyd Wallace, a 16-year-old boy of Oneonta, had an exciting ride in a balloon that got away from the Oneonta fair grounds at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The boy had gone up in the balloon, which was being pulled down in the regular manner. When it was about 200 feet from the ground the rope broke and the balloon and boy rapidly shot up in the air and soon disappeared in the clouds, being rapidly blown toward the northeast.

The balloon owner said that unless the youth opened the valve the balloon would not come down for twenty-four hours. The balloon rose over two miles high before it disappeared from view.

The boy, however, managed to get hold of the valve rope and let out the gas, so that he succeeded in

# NEW SEASON AT LOCAL THEATRE AND A REVIEW OF THE OLD ONE

"Parsifal," Alice Fischer in "The School for Husbands," "The Heir to the Hoorah," and Mary Irwin, Booked for 1905-6...De Wolf Hopper, Grace Van Studdiford, and Jeff De Angelis Coming--Ada Rehan, Robert Edeson, Otis Skinner, and Richard Carle, Likely to Return.

Now comes with the changing year the new theatrical season, replacing what might be otherwise a gloomy and forbidding prospect of dull winter nights, with pleasant anticipations. For it is known that Janesville is no out-of-the-way corner in the dramatic world. On the contrary, along with cities many times its size, it has a place on the route-cards of the foremost and best of the player folk. Not here is the rollicking song, the pungent epigram, and the rare bit of drollery which captivated and convulsed the Chicagoan and New Yorker two autumns ago, a subject of current conversation. Nor more so, the virile character-portrayal that somehow seemed to step forth from its apparent setting of shadowy unreality and become a part of one's own living experience. Secretly, though, there should and doubtless does come a certain feeling of regret that the broad-gauged, generous, human, almost heroic personality of the "Hon. Jim Hackler," for example, no longer guides the political destiny of his country. In the absence of definite information, though it is just possible that this big-hearted, duster-clad optimist may continue to boss his constituency for another year. Howbeit, gritty little "Checkers" career at a particular race-track is ended. "Lieut. Ranson," after becoming an Indian, is to essay a Canadian character role. Suave, indolent, pleasure-loving "Alfred Booze" will pluck no more artificial grass-hoppers from a wine glass of appealing emptiness, and only imitators will henceforth sing that drawing ballad about the peculiar metamorphosis just a few hours wrought. These are dry leaves, yet worth the raking over before entering into a discussion of the prospects ahead.

#### Greatest Dramatic Offering

From every possible standpoint, the greatest dramatic event of the season which opened in August, 1904, and closed last June, was the appearance at the Myers theatre on the evening of Jan. 20, of Ada Rehan and her company in Shakespeare's "Taming of the Shrew." It is perhaps unnecessary to add that America's foremost living actress was greeted by the largest audience of the year. Her's was an incomparable portrayal of the high-tempered "Katherina," spoiled by long indulgence of the merest whim, who raged like Fury at the conqueror, fought him step by step, and, at the last, revealed in the humility of complete surrender, the innate, surpassing beauty of her true character. Charles Richman as the conquering "Petruchio" was immeasurably less successful in his delineation. When subsequent to the presentation in Janesville, the company appeared in Chicago, a great critic wrote of him: "He plays the character with a joyful howl." That was doubtless much too severe. Richman is with Amelia Bingham this year, playing in "The Frisky Mrs. Johnson." Wilfred Clarke made an excellent "Grumio" and Walton Price and Miss Fola La Follette were good in the minor parts assigned them. Miss La Follette is with Alice Fischer in "The School for Husbands," a new comedy now playing in Chicago.

#### Music And Musical Plays.

Departing from the theatre for a moment it seems appropriate--on the appearance of the gifted pianist, Rudolph Ganz, at Eldred hall on Feb. 27, and the recital of that eminent organist, Clarence Eddy, at the Congregational church on the evening of May 12, should be recorded. Creator and his band charmed the music-lovers with Baptiste's organ offertory, the "Misere" from Verdi's "Il Trovatore," and the overture from Tannhäuser on April 13. With a hasty departure from the classical we now come to a consideration of the musical plays. The first of the Shubert production of which there were to be several during the succeeding weeks--sprightly little "Genevieve Day" in a musical melange entitled "A Girl from Dixie"--opened the season on Aug. 19. Who has forgotten the eccentric piano playing of D. L. Don, the German comedian, and his monologue on "Pivots?" Don afterwards took Dave Lewis' role in "The Royal Chef," on its eastern tour and is cast for an important part in "Alice and the Eight Princesses," which has just been staged in Chicago.

#### Williams And Walker.

September 6 brought the next important offering in the person of James Powers and his revival of the comic-opera "San Toy." Powers' inimitable "San Toy" was the most humorous than anything he has done on the stage. Mina Rudolph played the name part and her duets with John Penchy were well received.

Long after the names and content of other musical plays are forgotten, the wild, thrilling harmonies of "In Dahomey" will linger in the memory. And the superb acting--the glib patter and long, singing-laugh of George Walker, the oily manipulator and fail-less friend, and the gravity and patient resignation of the long-suffering "Shy" Homestead, his victim, as portrayed by Bert Williams--that, too, is delightful to recall. Both of these colored men deserve high rank. An appreciative writer has given this faithful description of Williams' remarkable work in the ball-room scene where he is rebuked by former associates all of whom owe to him their present luxury and high estate: "Shy" peers into all

Chinese dance were features. The list of public speakers and lecturers was unusually large, it being the year of the national and state election. They were: Senator John C. Spooner, Oct. 8; Ex-Senator Vilas, Oct. 20; Congressman Cooper, Oct. 25; Gov. La Follette, Oct. 31; M. G. Jeffries, Nov. 7; Edward A. Kimball, Christian Scientist, Nov. 25; Major Rathbone, Jan. 3; W. D. McCracken, Christian Scientist, May 2. Howe's moving pictures were exhibited on Nov. 3 and April 15, the Globe Traveler Co's on Aug. 28 and 29, the Dodge-Bowman Co's on April 3 and 4. Altogether the footlights at the Myers theatre blazed 130 times during the season 1904-05. It is interesting to note in comparison that there were 113 performances in 1903-04, and 125 in 1902-03.

#### Favorites of Other Seasons

E. H. Sothern, who appeared here in "The Proud Prince" on March 16, 1904, and who was associated with Julia Marlowe in Shakespearean repertoire during the past season, will be seen with her this season in "The Taming of the Shrew," "The Merchant of Venice," and "Twelfth Night."

Otis Skinner, who presented "The Harvester" on May 28, the same year, and who met with great success with the same production in New York last season, is to have as his vehicle this year, Clyde Fitch's "His Grace de Gramont," a drama dealing with court life in the reign of Charles II.

Francis Wilson, whose revival of "Ermine" was seen here on March 23, 1904, is appearing in the comedy "Cousin Billy," by Clyde Fitch.

Richard Carle, last seen here in "The Tenderfoot," Oct. 29, 1903, is touring the east with "The Mayor of Tokio," and has in preparation "The Hurdy-Gurdy Girl," which he expects to produce next season and a three act farce entitled "Passing Through."

Ezra Kendall, who presented "The Vinegar Buyer" on Dec. 4, 1903, opened his season in Portland, Oregon, a few days ago in a new play by Sidney Rosenfeld, called "The Barnstormer."

Ethel Johnson, the "Patsy" of "The Tenderfoot" made a big hit in New York a few weeks ago in the rendition of her part of "Sally Simpkins" in the big extravaganza "The Pearl and the Pumpkin."

#### Prospects for This Season

The new season at the Myers was formally opened September 4 by an excellent company presenting the light opera "The ForbIDDEN Land." George Evans is coming here next Monday with a pretty and vivacious chorus in "The Runaways" and there are many other good things ahead. However, the bookings are by no means complete. Negotiations are pending for Otis Skinner, Robert Edeson, Ada Rehan, Richard Carle, the opera "Puff, Puff, Pouf" and a number of others and the Shuberts have written to secure dates for Grace Van Studdiford, De Wolf Hopper in "Flaptrap" with which he opens in New York on October 2, and Jeff De Angelis' success "Fantana."

#### Dates Already Scheduled

After "The Runaways" comes Alice Fischer in Sturz's "Superba" and brilliant comedy of the eighteenth century "The School for Husbands." The play and its presentation have met with great success in New York, and Chicago where it recently concluded a long engagement. It is to be presented here on Tuesday, October 3. Two evenings later, October 5, comes Daniel L. Marin's production of the sacred festival drama "Parsifal," bringing its own complete orchestra and seventy-five people. David Higgins comes again in "His Last Dollar" on Tuesday, October 10. Following on the 12th Julia Grey in an emotional drama, and on the 17th "The Jolly American Tramp." Dave Lewis appears on Wednesday evening, Oct. 18, in his new musical play, "The Geeler of Gack." George Cohan's company appears here on the 25th in the musical comedy "Little Johnny Jones" and Kirke LaShelle's New York comedy success "The Heir to the Hoorah" is booked for Oct. 31.

#### The County Chairman

November and December will bring a number of attractive offerings. The original La Salle theatre company appears Nov. 4 in the musical comedy "The Isle of Bong Bong." The comedy drama "Sky Farm" is to be here on the 7th, the comic opera "San Toy" on the 10th, the musical comedy "My Wife's Family" on the 13th, a Christian Science lecture on the 19th, the melodrama "Why Girls Leave Home" on the 23rd, the musical comedy "Shooting the Chutes" on the 25th, and the comedy-drama "Uncle St. Haskins" on the 28th. The Himmelstein Stock Co. will hold the boards for the week of Dec. 4. Other bookings for that month are: Richard Carle's production of "The Maid and the Mummy" on the 19th. Henry W. Savage's production of "The County Chairman" on the 21st, Gordon's minstrels on the 25th, and Howe's moving pictures on the 28th.

#### May Irwin on Jan. 22

May Irwin, called the most hilarious exponent of low comedy on the American stage will be here with the best vehicle she has ever had--"Mrs. Black Is Back," by George V. Hobart, on Jan. 22. The month will be opened by a week's engagement of Winstone Bros. big repertoire company. The North Bros. Stock company will have the week of Jan. 29, and on Feb. 6, the musical comedy "Babes in Toyland," will hold the boards. "The Bowery News Girl" has the night of Feb. 17, the light opera "The Princess Chic" the night of March 28. "The Diamond King" comes April 12; "Miss Bell White," April 18; and the sweet singer, Al Wilson in "The German Gipsy" on April 27. Donnelly & Hatfield's minstrels are booked for May 4 and a cartoon play, "Ikey and Able" for May 9. Much open time will be filled within the next few weeks. The season that has just opened at the Myers theatre promises to excel in the quantity and quality of attractions all previous records, and that, in view of all the foregoing is saying a great deal.

#### Minstrels and Repertoire

Of the minstrel entertainments the homely "Imperials," on Feb. 28, played to the largest house and gave the best satisfaction. Hi Henry's aggregation gave a creditable performance on Feb. 11, as did likewise Barlow's on April 20. Both were lacking in the new features, songs, and methods which amusement seekers expect from year to year. A number of good repertoire companies played engagements ranging from three days to a week: the Flora De Voss Co., Nov. 9-12; the Kennedy Players, Nov. 28 and Dec. 1-3; the Davidson Stock Co., Jan. 12-14; the Himmelstein Co., week of Jan. 3; Frank Long Co., Feb. 20 and 22, 24 and 15; the Fane Stock Co., week of March 13; the Lyceum Comedy Co., week of March 27; the Irving French Co., May 8-10; and the Grandell-Davis Co., week of May 22.

#### Athletic--Home Talent--Lectures

Romantic drama and straight comedy were represented by a number of excellent offerings. Isadora Rush, who was drowned at Coronado Beach, Cal., on Nov. 14, appeared here in "Glittering Glory" on the night of Sept. 19. Robert Edeson with a company of sterling players including Edmund Bresce, who took the part of "Jeff Cahill," Miss Perrie West, Sidney Ainsworth and others presented on Jan. 31, the Richard Harding Davis play "Ranson's Folly," a dramatization of a delightful story of army

and high estate: "Shy" peers into all

the scenes, reaches for all hands. The consciousness that he is not recognized settles upon his heavy countenance. That expression is followed by one of humiliation. Then grief, and then anger, and then grief again, steal into the beady eyes and twist the ugly mouth. The great, hulking, shambling creature turns away. Somebody cries jeeringly, "Are you going?" "Yes, I'm goin'" mutters "Shy" but I'll return--however."

That "however" is the final touch, hitting off so deliciously the ignorant darkey's delight inounding off a sentence with an important sounding word--whether or not it means anything.

This bit of pantomime by Bert Williams did not occupy two minutes. It began on a note of laughter and it ended on one. It was not elaborated and it did not seem strained for. There was no slow faltering and no working up of "pathetic" by-play. But this negro actor had his audience shouting with laughter one instant, and the next, with a few peering glances, an intent attitude, and a wonderful manipulation of his lips, he almost made you want to cry. The laughter ceased abruptly, something caught you at the throat, the eyes pulsed hotly for a second--and then you were laughing again. It was beautiful acting; just as fine and subdued and true as one could ask for from anybody. Seeing Williams do such things you know what Mme. Duse meant when she said that this man is a great actor--This almost brings the whole play back, does it not? "In Dahomey" appeared here on Oct. 14. But we must proceed more rapidly with the dry leaves.

#### Raymond Hitchcock and Others

"The Royal Chef" with Dave Lewis in the name part, Henry Leone as the "Rajah of Oolong," vivacious Stella Tracey in her O'Reilly song and clever imitations, and Gertrude MacKenzie as the prima donna, appeared on Oct. 24, and was so well received that it played a return engagement on Feb. 23. On the latter occasion Miss MacKenzie was succeeded in the "Princess Toto" part by Florence Holbrook. The Mantelli Opera Co. gave scenes from "Carmen" and "Faust" on the night of Nov. 29, Mme. Helene Mantelli, Mme. Helene Noldi, and Signor Archibald Alberto sustaining the principal roles. Mme. Mantelli retired from the stage at the close of a short season.

Prior to that, on Nov. 17, Thomas Seabrook had sung "The Little Street in Heaven, They Call Broadway" in "The Billionaire," but that hardly deserves mention here. Seabrook ought to have held on to his old position as a bank teller. He is about as entertaining and diverting as the average bank. This season he is to enter vaudeville. Altogether the best comic-opera of the season, from the standpoint of clever lines and situations, was "The Yankee Consul" presented by Raymond Hitchcock, clever and pretty Flora Zabelle, the dainty soubrette, Rose Botti, the considerable and excellent comedienne, Eva Davenport, and other capable players on the evening of April 10. Hitchcock has since forsaken comic opera to become a "straight" comedy star in Edward Kidder's new play, "Easy Dawson." His role is that of a shiftless and somewhat belligerous fireman.

Younger Jefferson Disappointing

David Higgins in "His Last Dollar," another good reciting play, Sept. 24; William Morris in "Who's Brown" afterwards rechristened "Mrs. Temple's Telegram" and presented as a brand new play, with great success in Chicago--here, Oct. 21; the emotional actress Jeanne Fowler in "Perry's" problem play "Iris," Jan. 4; and Midred Holland in "The Triumph of an Empress," Feb. 27, were also excellent attractions. "Under Southern Skies," Sept. 17, and "David Harum," March 3, were very good. Thomas Jefferson on Oct. 16 was a distinct disappointment in the play immortalized by the elder Jefferson, whose death on April 23 caused universal grief. His delineation of "Rip Van Winkle" was tolerable--that was all--and his support and equipment were scarcely equal to that of the average repertoire company. That annual affliction "Peek's Bad Boy" returned on Sept. 10. "Yon Yonson" was here Sept. 22; "The Village Postmaster," Nov. 24; William Bonelli's "An American Gentleman," Dec. 20; "Uncle Josh Sprucey," Dec. 23; and "Ole Olson," May 31.

Spectacles and Melodrama

"The Devil's Auction" on Jan. 21 and Hanlon's "Superba" on Feb. 8 were the two pantomime spectacles of the year. Fred Hanlon was "Pierrot" the clown in the latter production.

The rainbow ballet, the giant nursery bottle, the marvelous x-ray disclosures, Al Waltz, the skate wizard, the human stove, and the remarkable donkey, were a few of the many enter-

taining features. Among the best melodramas of the year were: "Wed-

ded But No Wife," with Selma Her- man in the stellar role; "The Way of the Transgressor"; "Human Hearts"; "In the Far East"; "The Holy City"; and the perennial Stetson's "Uncle Tom's Cabin." Good ones were: "The Little Outcast"; "Her Only Sin," with Julia Gray as leading lady; "The Price of Honor"; "In a Woman's Power"; "Wife in Name Only"; "A Ruined Life"; "For Her Sake," and "From Rags to Riches"--a genuine thriller. William Hartigan gave a lurid port- port of the glimmering sea was the prettiest contribution the piece of forged; and Isabelle Hall and Marjorie Bell, both acceptable vocalists, "Girl" and "The Bandit."

Quite the best singing organization to present light opera in Janesville during the year was "The Girl and the Bandit" company which came April 22. Perhaps the piece was "late" as unkind critics in some of the larger cities said. Perhaps features such as the operatic sextet and its long arias for a stately prima donna may have had the hue of the last century upon them, but the audience here, as elsewhere, liked them just the same. It rocked with laughter at the absurdities babble in a plaintive, far-away voice by eccentric Mabel Hite and even rejoiced with Walter Jones, though at what it would have been hard to explain. The songs sung by Viola Gillette in a full-round mezzo soprano, the offerings of Chinese jargon and the singing of George Fortesque, the mandarin with the six little wives, were features. In connection with an anti-fat remedy which he is advertising in the Sunday magazine Fortesque announces himself as "America's greatest comedian now appearing in 'San Toy'"--which announcement is far more humorous than anything he has done on the stage. Mina Rudolph played the name part and her duets with John Penchy were well received.

Long after the names and content of other musical plays are forgotten, the wild, thrilling harmonies of "In Dahomey" will linger in the memory. And the superb acting--the glib patter and long, singing-laugh of George Walker, the oily manipulator and fail-

less friend, and the gravity and patient resignation of the long-suffering "Shy" Homestead, his victim, as portrayed by Bert Williams--that, too, is delightful to recall. Both of these colored men deserve high rank. An appreciative writer has given this faithful description of Williams' remarkable work in the ball-room scene where he is rebuked by former associates all of whom owe to him their present luxury and high estate: "Shy" peers into all

## Labor Notes

Brooklyn box makers are striking for an increased wage scale and a nine hour day.

It is announced that the convention of the anthracite miners will be held at Shamokin, Pa., during the first week of November. Delegates representing union mine workers, will attend. From the statements made by President John Mitchell and the demands of two of the district conventions, it is believed the convention will demand a recognition of the union, an eight-hour day, the present scale of wages, weighing of coal and payment by eight, a revised conciliation board, the sliding scale feature and the check docking box features of the recent agreement. Efforts will be made by Mitchell and his officers to increase the membership of the union, which is now said to number not more than 60,000 out of 150,000 mine workers in the region. The operators do not believe a strike will take place.

It is said that over 100 employers in New York have signed the new contract with the Stove Makers and that 1,500 men, out of the 2,300 on strike in New York City, will go back to work.

New Haven, Conn., street car men have secured an increase in wages.

The first labor union organized in the United States was by the tailors in the year 1803. The first local printer's union was organized in 1831. In 1845 an industrial congress was held in the city of New York, and this may be said to be the real beginning of what is known as organized labor. There has been local organizations before, as stated, but while the progress was slow for a number of years, the real beginning of the real work of organization may be said to date at the time of the New York industrial congress.

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Mr. A. E. Davidson politely proffers the successful scenic production.

## TWO LITTLE WAIFS

A Powerful Drama, superbly mounted and capably acted.

PRICES--25, 35 and 50c. Seats on sale Thursday at 9 a. m.

## MYERS GRAND OPERA HOUSE

## Your Wife

may not be "literary," but if she can write an attractive "Furnished Rooms to Rent" advertisement her work will yield direct money returns—and poetry will not always do that.

## Gazette Want Ads.,

Three Lines Three Times, 25c

## Forty Years Ago.

Janesville Daily Gazette, Thursday, September 21, 1865.—

## The State Fair.

Everything points to the largest State Fair ever held in the State. The grounds are the finest and the track unsurpassed if not unequalled by any in the Northwest. The railroads have agreed to do the handsome thing of carrying the passengers at half fare and articles for exhibition free. All these circumstances together with the fact that Gen. Sherman is to be here, will draw an immense crowd.

The Good Templars' Table.—The Good Templars have decided to erect a booth at the State Fair grounds, the proceeds of which are to be devoted to the furnishing of a new hall. Those who are interested in the good cause and who are willing to assist in the matter are requested to leave their contributions of provisions or money on or after Monday, the 25th either at the store of Mr. N. Deinbourn or of Mr. F. M. Hibbard, next to the First National Bank.

Provisions for the Hungry.—We are informed that the Presbyterian society has erected a stand for an eating booth on the Fair Grounds, and propose to aid in feeding the hungry

multitude which will assemble at the Fair. They will need the best endeavors of the friends of that church to carry out the enterprise in good shape, but they no doubt will be given.

The Congregational Society has also embarked upon a like enterprise.

Information Not Wanted.—The following appears as an advertisement in the last number of the Shawano Journal:

Played Out—Vamoosed—Left my bed, and board, on Sunday, Sept. 3d, my husband whom I have taken care of for several years—Joseph Carpenter.

He may be easily known from his habit of begging tobacco and drinking whiskey, when he can, either sponge or get trusted for it, and shiftless habits which do not allow him the luxury of a clean face and hands except upon special occasions. All persons are hereby forbid trusting or harboring the above described specimen of the stronger (?) sex upon my account as I shall pay no debts of his contracting after this date. Any person returning him or giving information where he shall be found will NOT receive the thanks of the subscriber.

ANN CARPENTER.  
Shawano, Sept. 4, 1865.

visiting old friends around here. They think California a very fine place to live.

Rev. Wm. Price of Hancock, Wis., occupied the pulpit in the Congregational church of Fulton last Sunday, September 17.

Nearly all the farmers have sold their half-cut tobacco at from 4 to 5 cents in the bundle.

Oscar Hanson attended the Milwaukee State Fair last week.

Willie Gardiner is making a trip to North Dakota.

Robert Bentley of Fulton village is employed in the Janesville works and is very much pleased with his work.

The Ladies' Aid Society will give an ice cream social in Fulton village next Thursday evening, September 21. Everybody come as this will be the last of the season.

Rev. Price was entertained over Saturday and Sunday at the Gardiner home.

Mrs. James Thompson of South Fulton and her mother, Mrs. Bancroft of Janesville, attended church in Fulton last Sunday and visited relatives a couple of days.

The following East Porter ladies took up their work last week as school teachers: Miss Louie Raymond in Dist. No. 8, N. E. Porter; Misses Marion Barber and Bessie Greene in the Fulton Village school. Miss Frances Gardiner in the John L. Fisher Dist. Center and Miss Buelah Brown, near Milton Junction. We wish them all success in their work.

Miss Josephine Brown spent last Sunday with her mother in Fulton village.

Mr. Charles Gary has a fine new organ and Miss Pearl has commenced taking music lessons.

The tobacco is all harvested in this vicinity.

Mr. Gillie of Cooksville has been through this part of the town buying chickens.

## SOUTH SPRING VALLEY

South Spring Valley, Sept. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. John Moses attended the Monroe fair Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Olin attended the fair at Monroe Saturday.

Mr. Ollie Hafeman made a trip to Janesville Wednesday last.

Mr. S. L. Castater and Frank Hafeman took in the Milwaukee State fair Tuesday and Wednesday; also E. M. Castater and son Ray Thursday and Friday.

Miss Clara Hegge has been visiting Miss Minnie Ross and other friends in the vicinity of Afton.

The Oak Hill school began last Monday with Miss Robinson as teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Olin of North Spring Valley spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Olin.

Mrs. S. L. Castater entertained company Wednesday last.

Miss Marcia Olin, who has been spending the last two months with Mrs. Mike Donabue, is home to spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hogan are the proud parents of a fine little daughter.

Mr. John Hegge delivered chickens at Orfordville Monday.

Mr. Wm. Benjamin is erecting a new hog house.

## ELGIN BUTTER MARKET

(Special Telegram.)  
Elgin, Ill., Sept. 18.—Butter—Official firm at 21c. No offerings or sales. Output, 702,700.

## JANESEVILLE MARKET REPORT

Quotations on Grain and Produce for the Gazette.  
REPORTED BY F. A. COON, NO.

Sept. 20, 1905.

FLOUR—1 c. Pat. \$1.40 to \$1.50 per bag.

WINTER wheat flour, \$1.45 to \$1.50.

WHEAT—No. 5 Winter, 75c to 80c; No. 3 Spring, 50c.

EAD. CORN—\$12 to \$12.20 per ton.

RYE—New, 55c to 60c per bushel.

CLOVER HONEY—Retail at \$9.00 to \$9.50; whole sale, \$1 to \$1.20.

Timothy HONEY—Retail at \$1.35 to \$1.50 per bushel.

Buy at 90 to \$1.12 bu.

FIBER—Parched corn and oats, \$20.00 to \$21.00 per bushel.

BEAN—\$1.10 to \$1.20 per bushel.

FLOUR MIDDlings—\$2.00 per sack sacked.

Oil MEAL—\$1.00 per bushel.

CORN MEAL—\$2.00 per bushel.

HAY—per ton baled, \$10 to \$11.00.

BUTTER—Dairy, 20c.

NEW POTATOES—40

Eggs—15c to 16c.

He that knows,  
and knows that he  
knows, is wise.  
Follow him.

—Arabian Pr.

He that knows

Uneeda  
Biscuit

and knows that he  
knows

Uneeda  
Biscuit

is well fed.  
Dine with him.

NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY

Don't forget  
Graham Crackers  
Butter Thin Biscuit  
Social Tea Biscuit  
Lemon Snaps

## Modern Home Plumbing.

All of our plumbing contracts are executed by the best skilled mechanics, under our personal supervision, and no detail, no matter how unimportant it may seem, escapes our attention. We use the famous "Standard" Porcelain Enamelled Plumbing Fixtures, which are the best made. By placing your work with us, you are assured of the best material and workmanship obtainable. Let us quote you prices.

E. E. GREEN, Plumber,

EARLY FALL  
COATS.

A showing of the new ideas in medium weight Coats for present wear. Lengths of these Coats are from 40 to 50 inches and a greater part of them are made of Coverts; some with belts, others with the full box back. New shaped sleeve with turn back cuffs, patch pockets, coat collar. Prices are

\$6.75, 7.50, \$8.50,  
\$10 and \$12.50.

Simpson  
DRY GOODS

## GAZETTE WANT ADS.

Three Lines Three Times, 25c

## COUNTY NEWS

NORTH SPRING VALLEY, Sept. 20.—Mrs. C. Gempeler has been spending several days with relatives in Monroe here the first of the week.

Miss Addie Palmer of New Hampshire is visiting with N. N. Palmer from a light attack of scarlet fever and family.

George Gibson was in Milwaukee last week.

Mrs. W. T. Wood is visiting here very thankful for this fine weather.

Miss Margaret Palmer has returned the way of the frost.

Mrs. Wm. Squier, (nee Mae Hubbard) and husband of California, are

been made at the Corners school.

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from a light attack of scarlet fever.

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## WANT ADS.

WANTED—A maid for general housework  
Mrs. H. D. Hoover, Forest Park.

WANTED—First class machinists and sheet  
iron workers. None but sober men need apply. Galena Iron Works Co., Galena, Ill.

WANTED—immediately—A competent girl  
to do house work; two or three family, wages  
12.50 to \$15.00 per month. Good wages  
also hotel girls. Mrs. M. E. McCarthy, 276 W.  
Milwaukee St. Both phone.

MISS LUELLA MAY TREAT desires piano  
pupil. Address 201 South Main St., Now  
phone 512.

WANTED—A situation as nurse, by a mid-  
dle-aged woman, good references. Inquire  
at Y. M. C. A.

MAN AND WIFE REQUIRED.—With good  
natural native and industrial; without  
children; between 25 and 30 years old. Must  
take charge of dairy herd, all other livestock  
and assist on farm, tobacco or other work as  
required. Please apply to Mr. W. H. Weller,  
W. H. Weller, Weller's, Janesville.

MAN AND WIFE AS NIGHT ATTENDANTS.—  
Both with good health, native and industrial;  
without children; between 25 and 30  
years old; with good references. Inquire  
at Y. M. C. A.

WANTED—A first class carpenter for inside  
work. Inquire of S. C. Jenkins, 207 Milton

WANTED—A boy and a woman to scrub  
floors, at the Myers Hotel.

WANTED—A maid to clean house. Ask Lake  
for details. New phone 620.

BOY WANTED—Strong, industrious boy to  
help nights about plant. Good opportunity  
to learn a trade. Janesville Electric Co.

WANTED—All kinds of work to do by the  
day. 215 North Jackson St.

WANTED—Strong boy 17 to 18 years old  
to learn a practical trade. Gatzert office.

WANTED—Agent to sell lots in new town on  
the Wisconsin River in the village and belt of  
Ind. Territory. Splendid country just as good.  
Address Lawson, Townsite Co., Muskego, Ind.

WANTED—Dressmaking at 10 Mineral Point  
Wm. W. Evans.

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Orchestra is best for dances. Ask Lake  
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WANTED—Young girl to assist with house-  
work. Apply to Mrs. William Schulte,  
No. 2 Chestnut street.

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Good 2 room brick house with  
barn, 61 Armor St., \$10 per month. F. F.  
Pierso.

FOR RENT—Very furnish. Address  
for full information. B. Gatzert.

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished house  
with or without barn. L. C. Brewer, 40  
Court St.

FOR RENT—A modern, room heated flat in  
the Waverly block. Apply to F. L. Sto-  
vings, L. Sto. block.

FOR RENT—A five room flat; gas and  
water convenient to town and depots.  
N. Jackson St.

FOR RENT—1st & 2nd room house, corner of  
Kosciusko and Main Sts., \$15 per month. F. F.  
Pierso.

FOR RENT—Nice room flat, new and clean;  
with bath, gas and electric light; gas stove  
furnished. Carter & Morse.

FOR RENT—Pleasant furnished room, sin-  
gle or double in the Opera House block.  
Inquire at "A."

FOR RENT—Modern steam heated flat, store  
and two rooms in the Gatzert block at very low rates. S. D. Grubb.

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Gold Coin kitchen range and  
bicycle. Inquire of M. Mottlauer, old phone  
No. 434.



## SALE COMPLETED OF INTERURBAN

JOHN FARSON SAYS ROAD WILL  
BE EXTENDED.

## DEAL IS NOW CONSUMMATED

Cleveland Parties Own the Electric  
Road to Rockford—Paid  
Fancy Price.

Some time ago the Gazette announced that the sale of the Rockford, Beloit and Janesville road was about to be consummated and that the plan of the prospective purchasers was to extend the line to Madison. This morning telegraphic dispatches confirm this report in the statement of John Farson, a member of the banking firm of Frasor & Leach of Chicago. Mr. Farson has been one of the most extended purchasers of the bonds and stock of the road and gave out in Rockford yesterday that the sale to Cleveland parties had been consummated and that the road would be extended to Madison at once. The purchase price given was \$1,250,000. He also stated that the road to Madison had already been surveyed and the route decided upon.

### Still a Question

There is, however, still a reserve clause to this statement of Mr. Farson. The old owners of the line had not completed their survey. The work between Edgerton and Stoughton has been done; from Stoughton to Madison and from Madison to Edgerton yet remains. When the announcement was made that Cleveland capitalists were anxious to buy the property the surveying parties were called in, so much remains to be done before actual work can begin of laying the tracks—little matters like franchises, rights-of-way and such affairs. Owners of the bonds and stock of the company who reside in Janesville and Beloit received good money for their blocks. One hundred and five is the figure quoted as the price paid within the past few days to Janesville holders. The majority of this stock was sold to J. R. Nutt, secretary of the Citizens' Saving Trust Company of Cleveland.

**Retain Old Management**

The new company have notified all the present officials of the road that they will be retained in office for the present at least. There is some talk that this road was bought by a syndicate that is purchasing all the electric roads going into Chicago and that these roads will be merged into one big system. Should this be true it is probable that the new trust syndicate will offer a new issue of bonds on the consolidated company. The fact that the new owners were anxious to secure the present bonds, even at a premium, shows that they are either very anxious to gain control or that they are calling in all the bonds so as to make a new and larger issue. Mr. Farson is thought to be merely a purchasing agent for Cleveland capitalists.

**The Dispatch**

Rockford, Ill., Sept. 21.—John Farson of Chicago, member of the banking firm of Farson, Leach company, was in the city yesterday and announced that a sale of the Rockford, Beloit and Janesville Electric line had been consummated, and that Cleveland parties had purchased the line. In connection with the purchase, Mr. Farson said the line will be pushed from Janesville to Madison at once, and the preliminary surveys which have been made were by the parties who have made the purchase of the line. H. H. Clough, present manager of the line, will remain at the head of the new company for the present, and possibly there will be no change in the officers of the company. The amount involved in the transfer of the company was \$1,250,000.

### CURRENT NEWS NOTES.

Janesville Aerie of the Fraternal Order of Eagles meet at their South Main street hall this evening.

**Was a Thief?** Wm. Anderson, connected with Ferrari Bros' Carnival company, now showing in Rockford, has reported to the police of Rockford that an employee named Tuder, alias King, had flown the coop during the night, taking with him \$30 belonging to him, a talkaphone, forty talkaphone records and a buckskin shirt. The police will try to trail the villain.

**Go to Jefferson Fair:** The Eagle baseball team and the Imperial band go to the Jefferson County fair on Thursday Sept. 23.

**Won Two Prizes:** Two second prizes in art embroidery work at the state fair were won by Miss Estella Wilcox who lives at 155 Terrace street. The exhibits awarded prizes were an American Eagle pillow and a "smoker's pillow."

**A Surprise Party:** John Hall of 257 Center avenue was the recipient of a surprise party at his home last evening in honor of his birthday. Danclug and games were indulged in, the party breaking up in the wee small hours.

**First Football Game:** The amateur football season will be ushered in Sunday by a game in Dunn's pasture on Washington street. The two contesting elevens will be Brigg's team and the Dynamite Rippers.

**Building Large Barn:** John H. Jones is constructing a large modern barn at his home, number 57 Oakland avenue. The structure is according to the latest plans and will be one of the best in the city when completed.

**Pleasant Afternoon:** An enjoyable afternoon was spent by the W. C. T. U. at the home of Mrs. O. W. Athorn, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. E. E. Yates as the guest of honor and after the business meeting was over refreshments were served and a social time was indulged in. The W. C. T. U. is looking forward to the visit of Miss Cassie Smith, national evangelist, who will conduct two evangelistic services October 13.

**Entertained Today:** Mrs. Laura E. Burr was the hostess of eighteen ladies today at her home at Burr Springs, four miles up the river. The trip to the suburban residence was made this morning by carriage and the return made this afternoon.

## METHODISTS ARE IN ANNUAL SESSION

Wisconsin Conference is in Session at Wausau Today—Church Matters.

The Wisconsin Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church is in conference at Wausau. Among the matters brought up at the session yesterday was the retirement of D. C. John, who after serving the church for fifty-two years in the pulpit and as presiding elder wishes to retire. Presiding Elder Benjamin of the Fond du Lac district also wishes to step down and again received a call from some pastor. Bishop Luther B. Wilson of Chippewa presided, arriving after the sacrament had been administered by Presiding Elder John of Oshkosh. T. W. North of Milton Junction was elected secretary and M. L. Evers and C. M. Starkweather assistant secretaries. The presiding elders read their annual reports which all showed improvement in church condition. The following candidates for ordination were examined by the committees yesterday: Harland Logan, Stoughton; E. A. Ware, Hazellhurst; C. W. Wentworth, Sheboygan Falls; B. W. Kramer, Cudahy; C. W. Boag, Orfordville; W. E. Kern, Moutello; William Dawson, East Troy; F. J. Turney, Grand Rapids; A. W. Triggs, Niagara; L. W. Nixon, Danier; G. K. McInnis, Sussex; H. S. Martin, South Byron; F. C. Pedley, Poylsip; J. C. Smith, Wild Rose; H. H. Kafet, Allens Grove; F. A. Crown, Wittenberg; L. Knutzen, Lamartine; A. L. Tucker, Shawano; Frank Milnes, Brandon; A. J. Fluk, Port Washington.

### LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT

Janesville Chapter No. 5, R. A. M., at Masonic hall.

Laurel Lodge No. 2, Degree of Honor, at East Side Odd Fellows' hall.

Fraternal Reserve association at West Side Odd Fellows' hall.

Janesville Aerie No. 724, Fraternal Order of Eagles, meets at South Main street hall.

National Fraternal League at Foresters' hall in Assembly block.

### FUTURE EVENTS

Medirama, "Two Little Waifs," at the Myers theatre, Thursday evening, Sept. 21.

George Evans and others in Shubert Co.'s big musical comedy, "The Runaways," at Myers theatre, Monday, Sept. 25.

### LATE LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF

Lake Superior trout, Nash. Fresh trout, Lowell Dept. store. Pork chops or roasts, 12½ lb. Nash. Telegram fine cut, 25c lb. Nash. Jefferson county fair next week. Get your fish order in early. Nash. Mrs. McDonald's H. G. cakes, Nash. H. G. Chili sauce, Nash.

Fresh trout, Lowell Dept. store. 4 Palm Olive soap, 25c. Nash. Minnesota macaroni, Nash.

Big fair at Jefferson next week. Trout and bluegill bass, Nash. 20 Mule Team borax, Nash. Calumet baking powder, Nash.

Fresh trout, Lowell Dept. store. We pay 15c cash on trade for eggs, Nash.

Wall-paper bargains at Skelly's. Country bacon, 12½ lb. Nash.

Fresh trout, Lowell Dept. store. Diamond Best flour, \$1.25. Nash.

Boiled ham, Nash.

Window shades, any size or color, with Hartshorn rollers, at Skelly's.

Corner Stone, Pillsbury's Best and Gold Medal flour, \$1.25. Nash.

The exhibits in the various departments at the Jefferson county fair, especially in machinery and stock, promise to be the best ever seen at a county fair in the state.

Bluegill bass, 7c lb. Nash.

Wanted—Strong boy 17 to 18 years of age to learn pressman's trade, Gazette office.

We are making interesting prices to purchasers of new fall dress goods, T. P. Burns.

Miss Mamie McBride is attending the Elkhorn fair.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred E. Sutherland have returned from their honeymoon trip and started housekeeping at the Michaelis home, 14 Harrison street.

**HANNAH ANDERSON IN CRITICAL CONDITION BUT MAY RECOVER**

Fell From Horse She Was Riding at Afton Recently and Struck on Head.

Miss Hannah Anderson of No. 11 Home Park avenue, who fell from a horse while indulging in a canter at Afton recently, and striking her head violently on the ground, sustained such serious injuries that her life has been despaired of at times during the past week, is reported to be somewhat better. Though still in a critical condition, the physician in attendance now hopes for her recovery. At intervals she has been unconscious for several hours at a time.

**THE WEATHER**

Temperature last 24 hours taken from registered thermometer at Heimstreet's drugstore: highest, 79; lowest, 60; at 7 a. m., 62; at 3 p. m., 78; wind, north; fair.

**Suspicion Confirmed:** Becoming suspicious of her husband Tuesday evening, a woman living on Bluff street quietly followed him to the home of a certain widow living on Fourth avenue. What she discovered apparently confirmed her suspicions for "hubby" spent the night at the lock-up on her complaint. The next day she evidently thought better of her plan to prosecute and he was released without appearing in court.

**Verdict for Defendant:** The trial of the R. P. Smith Sons & Co. vs. P. Rudolph shoe case was ended late last evening and the jury, after being out a short time, brought in a verdict in favor of the defendant. The plaintiff company which sued for some \$300 will have to pay the costs.

**Becomes a Chauffeur:** Roy Pierson is the latest chauffeur in Evansville. He has purchased a Winton machine said to be worth \$2,500.

## RAILWAY VICTIM FROM STOUGHTON

DEAD MAN WILL BE IDENTIFIED  
THIS AFTERNOON.

### KNUTE SANDERSON IS NAME

Was Victim of Epilepsy and Locomotor Ataxia, and Disappeared from Home on Tuesday.

There is but little doubt that the mystery surrounding the identity of the stranger who was killed by a Chicago & North-Western passenger train near the Madison street crossing yesterday afternoon, has been cleared up. City Marshal Appleby communicated with Supt. Killam of the court asylum last evening and learned from him that a man named Knute Sanderson, an epileptic and a victim of locomotor ataxia, had mysteriously disappeared from Stoughton on Tuesday and together with a description of the man, word had been sent to him to be on the lookout.

### Descriptions Correspond

This morning Marshal Appleby telephoned the city marshal of Stoughton, giving the following details of the dead man's appearance: height, 5 feet 9 or 10 inches; dark stubby beard of about two weeks' growth; evidences of poor eyesight; age about 42 years; garments—an old white hat, mackinaw coat, overalls, coarse stockings. The Stoughton officer stated that this description fitted the missing man exactly and that he would arrive here this afternoon to identify the body and make arrangements for its disposal.

### Was Taken for Mad-Man

While driving on Magnolia road about five miles from the city yesterday forenoon, Mrs. George Winslow and her mother, Mrs. T. H. Bidwell, passed the same individual stumbling, barefoot along the middle of the highway and carrying his shoes in one hand. Apparently he was oblivious of their approach and when they turned out to pass him he regarded them with a glance in which there seemed to be some vague terror but no understanding. Arriving in the city, Mrs. Winslow told her husband of the circumstance and expressed the belief that the person was a maniac, suggesting that he inform the police. This, the latter neglected to do until after the tragedy, when one of the ladies identified him as the person they had seen on the morning drive. If Sanderson was not dead he was so preoccupied with his own thoughts—perhaps sufferings—that nothing could make him hear. The shrill blast of the locomotive whistle would have given any normal being plenty of opportunity to clear the track.

**Potato Grows on Busy Street:** In a niche in the apparently very fertile car side walk, is flourishing an almost full-brown potato plant. It is on the outer edge of the foot-way and has thus far escaped in some miraculous manner, destruction at the feet of the passing throng.

**DEAN MATTHEWS IS  
BISHOP COADJUTOR**

Episcopal Diocesan Council Elects Cincinnati Man on Sixteenth

Ballot.

Dean Matthews of Cincinnati was elected Bishop Coadjutor of the Milwaukee diocese of the Episcopal church at the diocese meeting in Milwaukee yesterday. The election came on the sixteenth ballot, after what seemed a deadlock between Dr. Webb of Nashotah and Rev. Robinson of Racine. Bishop Rowe of Alaska also received several scattering votes. The election of Dean Matthews is creditable as a victory for the low church element, who opposed the selection of a high church assistant bishop.

There is some doubt as to whether Rev. Matthews will accept and the committee that was appointed to wait upon him will receive his answer on Monday. The meeting adjourned until Nov. 21 in case Dean Matthews does not accept, so that they can elect another candidate for the office.

In the address made by Bishop Nicholson to the pastors and laity he said that he hoped the seat of the new assistant would be in Madison and in a possible division of the Milwaukee diocese into two with Madison one of the cathedral cities. It is probable that this will be done. Bishop Nicholson is far from well and has given up fifteen hundred dollars of his salary for the new assistant and has pledged a thousand dollars more.

Bishop Matthews is the youngest son of the late Chief Justice Stanley Matthews, United States supreme court. He is about 40 years old, and he is a man of strong physique and broad personality.

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## NEW YORK LETTER ON THE WHEAT MART

### FASHION NOTES

General Conditions Are Favorable—  
Special Tips on the

(By J. S. Bache & Co.)  
New York.—The wheat market, while irregular, has shown a much steadier tone on the whole, and has advanced about  $\frac{1}{4}$  to  $\frac{3}{4}$  for the week, September leading. This makes a gain of about 3 to 5 cents a bushel in the last fortnight due to covering of the big short interest formed on the decline to under 80 cents for September in Chicago, and a renewal of support by elevator people whose actions in the speculative markets suggest that they have made contracts for new crop supplies to a very substantial extent.

The advance has been encouraged by rains in the west, cold weather in some sections, bullish estimates of the Russian crop, placing the combined yield of wheat and rye some 600,000 bushels below that of last season, and a scattering trade for export on soft spots, though at the higher figures mentioned during the week this demand has fallen off. Recent reports from India are more favorable as to the crop there, but current estimates forecast a falling off in the Russian movement in the near future, and the interior movement in this country has taken to heart the lesson read agriculturists by the southern planter last winter.

After such an advance as we have just experienced it would be our inclination to go slowly in following the market higher. There must have been something of a change in the technical position. On the other hand, important interests are said to be supporting the market more or less openly, and the elevator people in wheat are in practical control of the market when in harmony. Following their leadership is not in the least like treading a path of roses, and it would seem wise to us to take profits, on long wheat on any further advance and wait for a two-cent break before re-buying.

**Corn**  
Corn has advanced in sympathy with wheat and less favorable crop weather, also on evidences of a fair cash demand. For the week the market is about  $\frac{1}{4}$  to  $\frac{1}{2}$  higher. The government report was exceedingly bullish, indicating a crop the largest but one on record, and that the advance during the week was not due so much to cash considerations as to the speculative situation seems reflected in the fact that the maximum gain was in December, following rains in the west preventing early maturity, and fears of an early frost suggested by the cold snap in the lake region which worked its way eastward instead of into the main corn belt. We are not bearish on any of the commodity markets; on the contrary, we consider it likely to be a bull year, but in the case of corn we would as leave sell it for a turn on any further advance as buy it at present figures. Oats have been very firm owing to a big cash demand, part of it for Europe. Prices for the week are about  $\frac{1}{4}$  to  $\frac{1}{2}$  higher, which, in view of the big crop expected, seems a very fair figure.

**Provisions**  
Provisions have been somewhat unsettled, and net gains for the week are narrow and irregular. On soft spots packers' have supported, and while there has been considerable profit-taking by commission houses, there has been no aggressive pressure. The fact appears to be that prices are about the proper level under present conditions, and purchases on reactions appear the proper policy.

### LINK AND PIN...

News for the Railroad Men.

**Northwestern Road.**  
Engineer C. B. Smith has reported for work after a lay-off of several days duration.

The "Two Little Waifs" theatrical company arrived here from Madison at 9:20 this morning and will go to Harvard tomorrow.

Fireman Tallman returned to work yesterday on the Fond du Lac passenger run. He has been off duty for the past three months, being relieved by fireman Emil Gruel.

Fireman George Blay has reported for work after a few days lay-off.

Fireman Russell is laying off the Barrington turn around. His place is being filled by fireman H. P. Merrill.

Fireman G. F. Hiller is off duty. Fireman G. E. Townsend is relieving day caller Harold Dolan at the freight depot.

William Sullivan is relieving day caller Harold Dolan at the freight depot.

Samuel Johnson, an employee at the American Heating plant of Rockford, has brought suit against the Chicago & Northwestern road for \$1,500. Mr. Johnson is claimed was engaged in taking some material from a freight car standing in the yards at Belvidere March 28 of this year, when an engine bumped against the car in which Johnson was working, knocked him to the floor, mixed him up with the iron material in the car and as a consequence he became "sick, sore, lame and disordered." Mr. Johnson suffered severe injuries and figures that nothing less than the amount sued for will set him where he was before the accident happened.

\$1.60 to Madison and Return via C. M. & St. P. Ry.

For the Dane county fair excursion tickets will be sold to Madison, Wis., and return September 18 to 22d, inclusive. Return limit, Sept. 23d.

H. F. Blanchard, expert from the agricultural department at Washington, is assisting Professor G. W. Shaw at Berkeley, Cal., in conducting experiments designed to increase the gluten in California wheat.

Read the Want Ads.

## HUNDREDS HURT BY FALLING STAND

Structure Built for Band Collapse When It Is Over-crowded.

### RATHER TO SEE DARING ACT

Refuse to Listen to Warning of Watchman When Intent on Gazing at Loop-the-Loop Performance by Woman.

Belleville, Ill., Sept. 21.—Three persons were fatally hurt and 200 others injured in the collapse of the band stand at the street fair and carnival Wednesday night at 10 o'clock. Mme. Demona, a loop-the-loop artist, was preparing to make her nightly loop when the crowd pressed forward and 700 persons crowded upon the frail band stand structure built to sustain only the weight of forty or fifty persons.

The watchman stationed to guard against such a contingency was pushed aside and despite his warning cries the people crowded upon it.

**Hundreds Are Hurt.**

When the stand began swaying and creaking men shouted to their wives and children to jump, but it was too late. A second later the entire structure had gone down, burying several hundred persons beneath the debris. In the mass of human beings many were unable to arise.

Mrs. Michael Damrich and Miss Bertha Schreiber and Frank Deitz, Jr., were removed to a hospital in what was believed to be a dying condition. Mrs. A. Martin, Mrs. Thomas Tuyle, Mrs. George Flach, Mrs. Frank Schoeter, Mrs. Anna Stollberg, Miss Emma Stollberg, Harry Hagerling and Paul Robinson are among those more seriously injured.

It is a well-known fact that in Paris many of the smartest modistes get some of their most brilliant ideas from gowns seen at the theatres, and for this reason are regular patrons of the fashionable playhouses. A charming toilette noticed at one of the openings was in palest green radium velvet. The dress was cut in Empire shape with a yoke of lace and snugly fitting caps of lace on the shoulders. The design was profusely embroidered in exactly the same color as the velvet, the embroidery bordering the graceful skirt. Finishing the toilette was the tiniest hat of green chiffon trimmed with a pompon and aigrette of white sprinkled with silver.

Smart dresses for afternoon wear are made with short coats, frequently of lace, and as often of velvet, silk and moire, embroidered or trimmed with braid, and lace. For some time nothing is so becoming as the bolero, and here is one of the secrets of its unlimited favor.

The officials of the carnival company declare that the accident could not have been averted and that the watchman who guarded the bandstand warned the people repeatedly against crowding upon it.

A stylish yet at the same time simple, afternoon gown has the bodice made in jacket effect, the revers turning back of the bodice which is cut away. Encircling the waist is a fitted girdle of chiffon velvet, finished with a steel buckle. The circular skirt is gored and the front shows a full-length stitched box plait, while the sides and back are mounted in loose unstitched box plaits, so that there is a gradual slope to the foot, where the skirt is very full. The design is carried out in Pompeian red cloth and at the end of the revers there are two jabs of lace embroidered in red silk, or rather having its own designs outlined in red. Buttons of velvet to match the cloth of the dress finish the front of the odd little jacket.

All the shades of red are considered smart for autumn and winter suits, the fruit and metal shades being most de rigueur.

### COUNT ACCORDING TO NATIONALITY

Of All Catholics in State and Country Is Being Taken—Returns to Reach Rome Before Jan. 4.

Orders from Rome, transmitted in a circular letter sent out by Archbishop Messmer to the heads of the various dioceses in the state and from them to the clergy, call for a census of Catholic parishes of Wisconsin, according to nationality. The returns must be with the archbishop before Nov. 1 and must reach Rome before Jan. 1, 1906. The nationalities to be enumerated are: American, Bohemian, French, Belgian, German, Hollandish, Flemish, Hungarian, Oriental, Syrian, Greek, Polish, Slovak, and Slovene. The nationality of a family will be determined by its descent on the father's side and the language spoken in the family. Where three generations of a family were born in this country and the head speaks the English language only, it may be classified as "American." In case of doubt it will be classified according to general and popular estimation. Single persons, eighteen years or more of age, unmarried, and making their own living independent of the family are to be classed as grown Catholics. Those who profess the faith but do not practice it will be classed as "No church members." This is the first time that a census of Catholics has been taken by nationality and there is some speculation as to the reason for it.

**WIFE TAKEN AT SPOUSE'S BIER**

Arrested Because of Indications of Death by Poisoning.

Cadillac, Mich., Sept. 21.—Mrs. H. N. Fellows and Fred Tinker were arrested in Big Rapids, Mich., on request of Sheriff Faquette, who obtained a warrant from them here. They were on their way to Newaygo, Mich., to the funeral of Mrs. Fellows' husband, who died here after an illness of three weeks, during which there were symptoms of poisoning.

Remembering the sale continues two days, Saturday and Monday. Sale Opens at 8 O'clock.

### LACKS JURISDICTION IN CASE

Miners' President Refuses to Take

Part in Shot-Fire Controversy.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 21.—National

President John Mitchell's reply in re-

gard to the shot-firing dispute in the

Chicago, Elgin, Alton subdistrict coal

mines has been received and will be

submitted to a miners' meeting at Au-

burn. President Mitchell says that

he has no jurisdiction in the appeal of

the miners against the action of the

state executive board of the mine-

workers signing an agreement with

the operators' machine-mines that to

shot-fires be employed. Mr. Mike

Wheeler, the interstate agreement is not

affected in the matter. The Indiana

operators have tacitly agreed to skip

the advance in the price of coal at the

mines usually made in the middle of

September.

**RESULTS OF BASEBALL GAMES**

National League.

Chicago, 5; Cincinnati, 4.

Philadelphia, 3; New York, 6.

Boston, 6—Brooklyn, 5—1. Second

game, eight innings, darkness.

American League.

Cleveland, 6—Chicago, 9.

New York, 1; Philadelphia, 0.

Washington, 1; Boston, 1.

**Goes After Bank Robber.**

Albany, N. Y.—A state detective

will sail for Germany to bring back

to this country Henry F. Hardy, a

bank robber, who for the last thirteen

years has been the inmate of German

prisons.

Hardy is to be brought

back to serve an unexpired term of

twelve years in the Clinton prison,

from which he escaped in 1890.

**Elephants in Mail Service.**

New York.—But for the strength

and courtesy of four huge elephants

a two-ton batch of mail stuck in the

mud at 5th avenue and 42nd street,

would have missed its train at the

Grand Central depot. They were har-

nessed to the sides of the wagon and

jerker it out of the mud with ines-

tricable ease while the crowd cheer-

ed.

**Release Russian Prisoners.**

Riga, Russia.—The central prison

was attacked and two prisoners, lead-

ers of the local political agitation,

were released. During the fighting

two keepers and a policeman were

killed and several policemen were

wounded. Two of the rescue party

were arrested.

**Carnegie Library is Closed.**

Portland, Ind., Sept. 21.—The

Carnegie Library has been closed, owing

to lack of funds to support it, and

it is probable that Mr. Carnegie will

be asked to take back the library,

which was erected with his gift of

\$15,000.

**Medals Copper, Not Gold.**

Portland, Ore., Sept. 21.—Ath-

letes who participated in the A. A.

U. games under the auspices of the

Lewis and Clark exposition at Port-

land will be paid to learn that the

medals they so highly prize as pure

gold are nothing but copper, with a

thin plating of gold.

**Quake Victims Are in Terror**

Further Shocks and Violent Storms

Add to Distress in Italy.

Mongecone, Italy, Sept. 21.—Fur-

ther slight shocks of earthquake and

violent storms Wednesday, extending

over the whole of Calabria, added to

the distress of the stricken population.

Lightning caused a fire at Olivadi,

which destroyed the remaining prop-

erty belonging to survivors of the

earthquake. Panics occurred at Can-

tanazaro and Reggio, where several

buildings were struck by lightning.

# THE YOKE

A Romance of the Days When the Lord Redeemed the Children of Israel From the Bondage of Egypt  
By Elizabeth Miller

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there was no other sign of life. Even at the Memphis shore there was little activity.

When the line of cultivation ended Kenkenes knew he was in the precincts of the Marsh of the Discontented Soul. He rowed across what he believed to be one-half of its width and drew into the reeds. He dragged the bari far up on the shore, once more lifted Deborah and started up the warm sand.

At the base of the limestone cliff he deposited his burden and brought together a little heap of dried reeds and flax blades. This he fired after many failures by striking together his chisel and a stone. Rachel hid the blaze from the Nile while he made and lighted a torch of twisted reeds and stamped out the fire. In the feeble moonlight he discerned a stairway of rough hewn steps leading into a cavity in the wall. The southern side of the ascent was sheltered by an outstanding buttress of rock.

He put the torch into Rachel's hand and, taking up Deborah, climbed a dozen steps to a dark opening half closed by a fallen door. Pushing the obstruction aside with his foot, he entered. When they were all within he closed the entrance and unrolled the buri.

Deborah raised herself with difficulty and, after peering into the inner chamber to see where Rachel was, approached her softly.

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"The plunder of Khafra and Sigur, by my mummy!" Kenkenes ejaculated.

"Will they return?" Rachel asked in a voice full of fear.

"They are gathered to Amenti for their misdeeds many months ago," he explained. "See how thickly the dust lies here without a grain upon it. They were tomb robbers. None of the authorities could discover their hiding place, and lo, here it is!"

He walked round the sarcophagus and found at the head on the floor several bronze cases sealed with pitch. He opened one of them with some difficulty. Flat packages wrapped with linen lay within.

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"Come, spread the matting, Rachel," he said. "The master will stay with us tonight."

Kenkenes immediately flung himself upon the pallet because Rachel's hands had made it, and in a moment became acutely conscious of all the ache of body and the pain of soul the day had brought him. The first deprived him of comfort, the second of his peace, and there was the smell of dawn on the breeze before he fell asleep.

After sunset the next day Deborah roused him. He awoke, restored in strength and hungry. The old Israelite had prepared some of the gazelle meat for him, and this, with a draft of wine from an amphora, refreshed him at once. Provisions had been put in his wallet, and a double handful of golden rings, with several jewels, much treasure in small bulk, had been wrapped in a strip of linen and was ready for him. By the time all preparations were complete the night had come.

Kenkenes bade Deborah farewell, took Rachel's hand and then went west.

After launching his bari Kenkenes gazed a moment and then, with a prayer to Ptah for aid, struck out for the south. He rowed on steadily for Memphis, and immediate danger was at last behind him.

"Name them and let me judge."

He hesitated for proper words, and his cheeks flushed. Deborah looked at him with comprehension in her gaze.

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Danderine makes the scalp healthy and keeps it so. It is the greatest scalp fertilizer and therefore the greatest hair-producing remedy ever discovered. It is a natural food and a wholesome medicine for both the hair and scalp. Even a 25c. bottle, it will put more genuine life in your hair than a gallon of any other hair tonic ever made.

NOW at all druggists, in three sizes, 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1.00 per bottle.

**FREE.** To show how quickly Danderine acts, we will send a large sample free by return mail to any one who sends this advertisement to the **Knowlton Danderine Co., Chicago**, with name and address and 10 cents in silver or stamps to pay postage.

## For Sale and guaranteed by People's Drug Store and King's Pharmacy.

You will need to prepare your system for the coming cold weather, get your organs to work like clock work. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea taken this month will do the business. 25 cents, tea or tablets. Smith Drug Co.

### Excursion Tickets to County Fair at Jefferson, Wis.

Via the North-Western line, will be sold at reduced rates Sept. 25 to 29, inclusive, limited to return until Sept. 30, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

### Lake Superior and Georgian Bay.

1400 miles of steamer line practically circumnavigating these wonderful bodies of water and special circuit tour tickets via the Chicago & North-Western Railway are on sale at low rates. Through Pullman sleeping car lines from Chicago to various Lake Superior ports without change. For copy of Lake Superior folder and full information address, W. B. Kniskern, P. T. M., Chicago.

\$3.00 to the Pacific Coast from Chicago—Correspondingly Low Rates from Other Points.

Via the Chicago, Union Pacific & North-Western line daily, Sept. 15 to Oct. 31, to San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland, Seattle and Tacoma and other Pacific coast points. Very low rates to Helena, Butte, Spokane, Ogdensburg and Salt Lake City. Daily and personally conducted excursions in Pullman tourist sleeping cars to San Francisco, Los Angeles and Portland, through without change. Double berth only \$7.00 from Chicago and \$5.75 from Omaha. Choice of routes. For rates, tickets, etc., apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

Urinary trouble, diabetes.

Doan's Kidney Pills cure them all. L. Lawrence of 408 S. Franklin St., engineer at the Janesville Electric Light Co., says: "Seven years ago I injured my back by falling through a bridge near Alton into the Rock river. I was on an traction engine, its weight broke through and the whole thing went into the stream. Since that time my back has ached sometimes very severely, if I caught cold it settled in my kidneys and

## Rules of the Sale.

At the close of each day's sales, one number will be taken from thirteen slips bearing the numbers of the first thirteen sales-slip of salesman No. 1. This number will be the first refund. Next refund will be made by adding thirteen to this number, and so on. Any one welcome to be present when the numbers are ascertained.

SAVE YOUR SALES SLIP. The numbers of lucky customers will be published each day in the daily papers and will also be posted in our windows.



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## Friend Bros. Clothing Co.'s Celebrated Suits.

Correct in Style. Perfect in Fit.  
Hold their Shape. Wear well.  
**\$10.00, \$12.00, \$14.00, \$15.00, \$16.00**

Best values in the market in Men's Suits at these prices.

| MEN'S SUITS                          | BOY'S TWO-PIECE SUITS                 |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Men's good wool Cassimere suit at    | Navy Blue Suit of Heavy Cloth at      |
| ..... \$8.00                         | \$1.50                                |
| Neat Brown Mixture at..... \$9.00    | Blue Melton, a durable suit at \$2.75 |
| All Wool Heavy Blue Serge at \$10.00 | All Wool Heavy Blue Serge at \$3.50   |
| Handsome Dark Worsted at \$10.00     | Elegant values..... \$3 to \$5        |

**Men's \$2.75 Corduroy Pants only \$1.75**

### New Sweaters for Men, Women, Boys and Girls.

|   |             |
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| Direct from the largest manufacturer in this country.                             | 50¢         |
| Wool Sweater in bright combinations of color for boys 3 to 8 years at.....        | 50¢         |
| Better grade—Pink and White and dainty combinations for boys 5 to 8 years at..... | 69¢ and 79¢ |
| Pretty Bright Wool Sweaters for girls 3 to 8 years.....                           | 75¢         |
| Misses Golf Blouse in White, Red or Blue at.....                                  | \$1.48      |
| Ladies Golf Blouse in White, Red or Blue at.....                                  | \$1.98      |
| Ladies Golf Blouse, new roll front—very striking effect at.....                   | \$2.98      |
| Ladies Golf Vest, White, Royal or Scarlet at.....                                 | \$1.25      |
| Men's Wool Sweaters—Handsome Weaves at \$1.25, \$2, \$2.50 and \$3                |             |

## SHOES

**White House Shoes at \$3.50**

FOR WOMEN.

**All America Shoes at \$3.50**

FOR MEN.

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| Men's Special Blucher cut at.....  | \$2.25 |
| Flint shoes for children's school wear, size 8 to 12 at \$1. 13 to 2 at \$1.10 |        |
| Doy's Box Calf Bluchers, an elegant shoe at.....                               | \$2.25 |
| Woman's kid shoe, patent tip at.....   | \$1.25 |
| Woman's kid, Blucher cut at.....   | \$1.40 |
| Meritus—Vici Kid Shoes for women at.....                                       | \$2.50 |

## TIME TO MAKE BED COMFORTS.

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| Good Robe Print for comfortables at..... | 6¢ |
| Twilled Robe—new patterns at.....        | 7¢ |
| 10 ROLLS OF COTTON BATTING FOR \$1.00    |    |

A Challenge Sale of Remarkable Values. Values  
Guaranteed in Every Instance and Money Refunded on  
Every 13th Cash Purchase.

# LUCKY 13 SALE

Begins Friday Morning, Sept. 22. Closes Saturday Night, Sept. 30. Lasts 8 Days

Our New Fall Stock is Here. We are going to start the Fall Business with a Hum. We will prove to you that the number **13** is a lucky one. A well selected stock of goods in every department. Goods bought right and sold at right prices. In addition to selling the goods at the lowest market price, we will for 8 days give **Every 13th Cash Purchase Absolutely Free.** Whether the purchase is a 50c one or whether it amounts to \$50.00, every 13th customer has the amount of his or her purchase refunded.

## 49c Sale

...OF...

### New Dress Goods

Dress Goods that are now popular | The serviceable goods most desirable for Ladies, Misses and Children's suits, skirts or waists. *storm serges* in the staple black and navy. Included in this lot are *all wool*

ALL WOOL CHEVIOTS in Black, Navy, Royal, Cardinal and Brown.

SICILIANS and BRILLIANTINES in Black and colors, and beautiful effects in the stylish Plaid Worsted Suitings. Your choice of this line at 49¢ a yd.

## THIRTEEN BIG SPECIALS

Picked at Random from the Different Departments. Only Samples of the many things to be found in our New Fall Stock.

SHEPHERD CHECKS AND DRESS GOODS IN PLAIDS. Stylish book fold fabrics, strictly new and very desirable, especially for children's wear. Per yard..... 15¢

ALL WOOL TRICOT FLANNELS. All best colors and choice patterns in Novelties and Plaids. Per yard..... 25¢

ALL WOOL KERSEY SUITINGS. 54 inches wide. Pretty mixtures in an excellent fabric for Ladies wear. A goods well worth \$1.25. Here at per yard..... \$1.00

WOMEN'S FLANNELETTE NIGHT ROBES. Of good outing flannel in neat stripes, collar of plain fairy flannel. Splendid value at..... 59¢

SOFT, FLEECY COTTON BED BLANKETS. Far superior to the ordinary cheap blankets usually offered. Tan or gray with attractive borders. A pair only..... 53¢

FAST BLACK SATINE PETTICOAT. with ten-inch accordion plaited flounce. The usual dollar garment for..... 75¢

WOMEN'S FLEECED RIBBED UNDERWEAR. Bought before cotton prices advanced, therefore a better garment than you usually get at..... 25¢

MEN'S HEAVY FLEECED UNDERWEAR. This ease will go quick for it is extra value at a popular price garment for..... 50¢

"GLORIA," THE WOMAN'S SHOE THAT WEARS. A neat vici lace shoe with patent tip and mitt kid top. You will be pleased with these new shoes at..... \$2.50

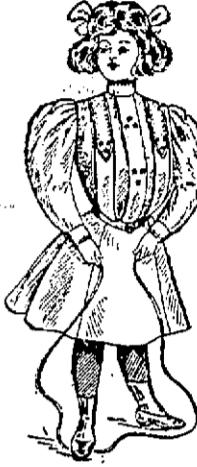
BOY'S SCHOOL SUIT. A firm durable suit in neat dark mixture. For boys 6 to 15 years. A new knee pant suit just in this week. Splendid value at..... \$2.50

TABLE TUMBLER. A drinking glass on which we get a low price by taking a big quantity. Boarding houses should buy a supply at the low price we quote. In any quantity, each..... 2¢

A NEW TOY—AUTO RUNABOUT. The largest and strongest steel toy auto made, and runs on the thickest carpet as well as on the street. The little girl's delight, an up-to-date auto for her dolly's outing. Price \$1.25

THE BOY'S MUST HAVE AN AUTO TRUCK. A great toy. Made of all steel, fine enamel finish with adjustable canopy top, new and improved running gear with extra heavy wheels with rubber tires that won't come off. Price..... \$1.25

**The Lowell Department Store**



DRESSES FOR THE GIRLS.

We have a stock of ready made dresses for girls from 3 to 14 years. This is a new department. Every dress new and of latest style. You can't afford to make the garments when you can buy at these low prices.

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| Dress of outing flannels; for little tots 1 to 3 years, for..... | 25¢    |
| FOR GIRLS 6 TO 14 YEARS.   |        |
| Cashmere dress in plain colors, suspender effect at.....         | \$1.98 |
| Plaid sorge dress, neatly trimmed for same ages.....             | 75¢    |
| Sailor dress of Navy Serge, braid trimming at.....               | \$2.50 |
| Russian blouse dress of Cheviot in Navy or Brown at.....         | \$3.50 |
| Dark rich plaid dress with tucked silk yoke and venice lace at   | \$3.50 |

## MISCELLANEOUS.

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| New Bells—New Hand Bags.   | 25¢ New Collar at 10¢. |
| Black patent leather belt, soft 2-piece kind at.....             | 15¢                    |
| Red or black double-buckle dip, patent leather belt at.....      | 25¢                    |
| Passe Partout Pictures at.....                                   | 10¢                    |
| Little beauties, also big variety of new larger pictures at..... | 10¢                    |
| Patent leather Hand Bags at.....                                 | 25¢                    |
| New Hand Hold Bags 25¢ and 49¢                                   |                        |
| Novelty Hand Bags \$1.25 to \$1.98                               |                        |
| Boy's heavy rib school hose at.....                              | 15¢                    |
| Boy's and Girl's Linen Kneec, no mend hose at.....               | 25¢                    |
| Ladies "Burson" hose at.....                                     | 25¢                    |

## CROCKERY SECTION.

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| This section was never so full of bargains as it is now.                         |                                      |
| Parlor Lamps—big, new line.....  | 98¢ \$1.48, \$2.45 up to \$7.50 each |
| Baltimore Sewing Lamp, a big, sensible kind of lamp, only.....                   | 75¢                                  |
| Small Hand Lamps, complete; chimney, burner and wick, only.....                  | 20¢                                  |
| Table Glassware, big values and big variety of kinds at.....                     | 10¢                                  |
| Elegant new shape in a vase; a beauty, worth 50¢, only.....                      | 29¢                                  |
| Large Cracker Jar of glass—a good thing, only.....                               | 50¢                                  |
| Glass Berry Dish and Plate to match, a rich design and bargain, only.....        | 35¢                                  |
| Baby Punch Bowl with Standard, suitable for fruit dish too, \$1.50 value at..... | 98¢                                  |
| Flower Pots and Jardinieres—New stock is in.                                     |                                      |



## A New Gas Light at A Big Saving in Price

YOU SAVE MONEY—YOU GET A BETTER LIGHT.

During this sale we offer a complete, everlasting light, as shown in cut; composed of 1 burner, 1 air-hole globe, and 1 mantle, ready to screw right on your gas fixture. A 75¢ light at this sale only..... 47¢

You should put one on every gas jet in your house or office.

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| Get the Notion. You Can Save Money on Notions Here. A Most Complete Line of Toilet Articles and Notions. |   |
| 15¢ Pearl's Soap at.....   | 10¢ Darning Cotton, 3 balls for..... 5¢ |
| 25¢ Mennen's Talcum Powder at 15¢  | Shoe Paper, 2 packages for..... 5¢      |
| 25¢ Dr. Grave's Tooth Powder at 15¢  | Ironing Wax with handle for..... 1¢     |
| 25¢ Packer's Tar Soap at.....  | Hump Hook and Eyes, card for..... 1¢    |
| 45¢ Java Rice Face Powder at.....  | Pins, per paper..... 1¢                 |
| 50¢ Pozzoni's Face Powder and Girls Puff Box at.....   | Envelopes, white, package of 25 for 2¢  |
| Pinked Face Chamois at.....  | Pen or Pencil Tablets, each..... 3¢     |
| Carter's Black Ink, bottle.....  | Columbia Lead Pencil, worth 5¢ at 3¢    |
| 25¢ Celluloid Dressing Combs at 19¢  |   |



## The Best Bargain We Ever Gave in Drinking Glasses

6 Present Tumblers, with genuine cut glass bottoms, in neat partitioned box.

Box of 6 tumblers, only..... 60¢